

Readme.pdf: instructions for replicating Caldeira and Lempert, “Justice-Level Heterogeneity in Certiorari Voting.”

Before running the .do file, jlev_replication.do

1) Save sdcasepick.ado and vcemway.ado (and optionally, the .sthlp/.hlp files) where user .ado files are located (type “adopath” if unsure).

2.) At the top of the .do file, replace “V:\docs\WOD” with the location of the folder where you have downloaded the data file, jlev_data_compact.dta. Graphs created by the .do file will be saved to this same folder.

As this dataset is part of a larger project, additional variables may be available; contact the authors with questions.

Correlating Results in Paper with Results in .do and log files

(from top to bottom of .do file)

Table 4 is located at .do file line 12 and log (.pdf) file page 1, line 39. The analogous regressions for the 26 other justices are located on log file pages 1-26. The name of the justice is given three lines after the end of each table.

Figures 1-7 are constructed at .do file lines 21-84 and log (.pdf) file page 22, line 56 – page 34, line 66. The figures/graphs are saved to the location set in “path” (see above) and the file name/location is given at page 34, line 59-66.

Results in Table 1 are given at .do file line 63 and log (.pdf) file page 33, line 40 – page 34, line 26.

Table 5 is given at .do file lines 95-97 and log (.pdf) file page 35, line 15.

Results in Table 2 are given at .do file line 92-129 and log (.pdf) file page 36, line 65 – page 39, line 23 (for tenure) and page 39, line 26 – page 41, line 50 (for extremism).

Results in Table 3 are given at .do file lines 135-187 and log (.pdf) file page 42, line 34 – page 50, line 43.

The multiway clustering robustness check for Table 3 mentioned in the paper is given at .do file lines 195-216 and log (.pdf) file page 50, line 48 – page 57, line 44.

The rank-based robustness check for Table 3 mentioned in the paper is given at .do file lines 220-253 and log (.pdf) file page 57, line 49 – page 64, line 38.